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Title: MESSAGING SYSTEM HAVING RECIPIENT PROFILING

**AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO THE MAY 2, 2003 OFFICE ACTION**

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Sir:

This communication is submitted in response to the May 2, 2003 Office Action ("Office Action"). A response is originally due August 2, 2003 or the next day that is not a Saturday, Sunday or federal holiday. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Entry of the following amendment and consideration of the enclosed remarks are respectfully requested. The following sections are enclosed:

1. Amendments to the specification;
2. Amendments to the claims; and
3. Remarks.

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